## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## **CUSTOMER NO. 22927**

Applicants: Walker *et al.* Application No.: 10/682,062

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DATA RELATING TO USAGE OF A GAMING DEVICE

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Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Pursuant to the Following Submission of an

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE to the Final Office Action mailed April 09, 2010

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## Dear Examiner:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed April 09, 2010, Applicants hereby respectfully request continued examination in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.114. Please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.